

J. R. Bemis was out of Prescott and not available for comment when the Washington wire reported in this paper yesterday that the government had granted a rapid tax write-off to White Star Paper company and that therefore it was probable the mill's construction would begin.

This conclusion didn't square at all with the last word I had from Mr. Bemis, which was only two weeks ago, but we printed the wire story as sent. Now I see the morning papers have Mr. Bemis clarifying matters—and it's about the same thing he told me at a SWAHA meeting in Mufreesboro July 5.

The rapid write-off authorization by the Defense Production Administration doesn't mean anything as far as immediate construction is concerned. The DPA's certificate of necessity is needed, Mr. Bemis continued, but the big problem is getting priority for building materials.

Any announcement as to actual construction will come from the Kansas City offices of Dierks Lumber & Coal Co., of which White Star is a subsidiary, he concluded. His own concern, Ozan Lumber company, and others are affiliated with Dierks in the White Star venture.

Here is the case of a vast project costing between 18 and 20 million dollars, involving the tremendous difficult job of assembling thousands of items for a complicated industrial process—taking raw cordwood and grinding it up, treating it with acid, preparing the paper pulp, and then rolling it out in many finished paper products.

If and when White Star gets into operation at Prescott it will be the biggest industrial "break" in the history of southwest Arkansas, raising by a few notches the entire level of employment, values, and income, for several counties.

The basic process for using Southern pine instead of Northern spruce in making white paper is no longer a gamble. The late Dr. Charles H. Herly, Savannah (Ga.) chemist, perfected the formula—and it was used by Southland Mills, Lufkin, Texas, the pioneer Southern newsprint mill, that manufactures this sheet which you are reading.

The Lufkin mill has been fabulously successful. Another has been built at Coosa, Ala., on the Coosa river—and made money on its first fractional operating year. Certainly the best wishes of all southwest Arkansas go to the White Star people, with the hope that some day their own venture will take massive form on the bank of the Little Missouri river in our own section of America.

373 Receiving Benefits in Hempstead

Old-Age and Survivors Insurance benefits are now being paid to 373 persons in Hempstead county amounting to \$9,723 per month. This represents a considerable increase over the figures of last year according to Eugene J. Riegler, Manager of the Texarkana Social Security Administration Field Office.

The reason for the increase is the lowered eligibility requirements and the increase in benefit rate made by Congress when it amended the law on August 28th of last year.

The law now makes it possible for persons age 65 and over and who have retired from employment to qualify for benefits if they have only 6 quarters of coverage. This means that to be insured it is only necessary to work about 18 months in employment covered by the law. The lowered eligibility requirements also applies to deaths after August of last year.

The majority of the people who were not eligible under the old law have now filed claims, however, Mr. Riegler believes there are many persons in this area who can qualify but who have not filed claims. "We can make back payments for only 6 months," Riegler said, "so that a claim filed now will cover only the months from January on."

Any payments which might have been due for 1950 are now lost. If a claim is delayed until August, then January will be lost, and so on, a month lost for each month of delay. For this reason, we urge anyone who believes he may be eligible for payments to get in touch with us at once."

Red Scheme Brings Some Wondering

Washington, July 18 — (UP) — An inconspicuous little item from Hong Kong had officials here wondering today whether the Communists have tested a new line of atomic weapons or have just put out a slick propaganda tale.

The item was a Chinese Communist official news agency as saying a volcanic eruption in Sredn May 27 in inkling, a remote mountain-walled region, twice as big as Texas, which the maps designate as China's westernmost province.

Choice Melons Sought by Festival Group

Hempstead watermelon growers were asked today to register at the Chamber of Commerce office, the number of melons which they can supply for the annual festival which is scheduled to be held here Wednesday, July 25.

The buying committee, headed by Paul McClellan, must know by Saturday, July 21, the number of melons offered for the festival at market price and the day of delivery.

Committeemen will start buying melons for the festival on Monday, July 23, at the Cotton Company. The Southern Ice Company is storing and cooling the melons free of charge.

Growers are asked to bring choice melons with which to serve visitors here festival day. The buyers will reserve the right to cull all melons offered for sale and will buy only the best quality fruit.

Full cooperation is urged by everyone in order that the festival will be a huge success.

Abbey Theater in Ireland Burns Today

Dublin, Ireland, July 18 — (AP) — The Abbey theater, birthplace of Irish revolutionary drama and for nearly half a century training ground for some of the world's greatest stage stars — burned to the ground early today.

The main building was gutted by a fierce blaze that defied the efforts of five brigades of firemen to save the historic landmark in the heart of Dublin.

The cast of Sean O'Casey's "The Plough and The Stars," showing at the Abbey this week, managed to carry to safety valuable paintings and art objects from the burning structure.

The theater was the home of the famed Abbey players, whose graduates have gone on to triumphs on the stages of London and New York and the film sets of Hollywood.

Barry Fitzgerald, who achieved his greatest stage success in "The Plough and The Stars," began his career there.

The theater, which had a capacity of only about 150, was once the city morgue. The theater itself was founded in 1904 with funds supplied by Annie Horniman, a British tea heiress who later withdrew her support.

Irish critic and author George Russell and William Butler Yeats, poet and dramatist, were leading figures in the Abbey movement.

The first plays produced there were mostly heroic and poetic, but with the advent of O'Casey's first play, "The Shadow of A Gunman," in 1923, the movement shifted its objectives to drama of realism. One of the greatest of these was O'Casey's "Juno and the Paycock."

In the year of its foundation, George Bernard Shaw presented the Abbey group with his play "John Bull's Other Island," but Yeats, who hoped to keep the movement poetic, did not present this play until later.

One of the Abbey's most prolific dramatists was John Millington Synge, whose contributions included "Riders to The Sea" and the controversial "Playboy of the Western World."

O. M. Womble, 60, Fulton Man, Dies In Hope Hospital

O. M. Womble, aged 60, a resident of Fulton, died yesterday in a Hope Hospital.

He is survived by his wife, three sons, Herbert, Lester and Roy Womble, all of Fulton, a daughter Mrs. Martha Jean McMillen of Alvin, Texas; two brothers, J. H. and S. H. Womble of Fulton and Jim Womble of Taten, Texas, and a sister, Mrs. Jeannie Norman of Columbus.

Funeral services were held today at 11 a.m. at McNab. Burial was in Fulton in charge of Herndon-Cornelius.

Police Station Gets Office Boy

Jim Edwards, high school youth, is new office boy at the Hope Police Station. Young Edwards started work this week and his duties include answering the telephone and office work.

BOMB AND TRIAL

Taipei, Formosa, July 18 — (AP) — The Chinese Nationalist defense ministry said today its guerrillas broke up a Red Chinese purge trial with a time bomb. The ministry said 10 communist officials were killed.

The bombing was June 11 at Tungkun, 30 miles southeast of Canton.



"SPIRAL STAIRCASE"—This radically different type of television antenna, developed at General Electric's Syracuse, N. Y., plant, will be used for ultra-high-frequency transmission, which is expected to play a major role in the nation's future TV expansion. The 40-foot-high helical antenna increases initial transmitting power 20 times, so is expected to bring the TV world into many new communities.

New Struggle on Tidelands Is Shaping

Washington, July 18 — (AP) — Another round in the long struggle between coastal states and the federal government for title to the oil-rich off-shore submerged lands is shaping up for next week.

The house rules committee yesterday cleared the way for house debate on legislation to give states title to the lands often called tidelands.

Rep. William D-Lai, a sponsor of the bill, said it is "rather definite" that it will come up for house consideration next week.

As yet, he said, it is due to follow the state department appropriation bill, which is slated for consideration after the house finishes the control bill.

The tidelands measure involved is known as the "quit claim" bill and its opponents freely predict that should congress approve it, President Truman will send it back with a veto. Mr. Truman vetoed somewhat similar legislation several years ago.

The pending bill would give states title to submerged lands out three miles from the coast line and, in the case of Texas, about 10 miles out. States would be entitled to 100 per cent of royalties collected from oil development in this area.

Truck, Tractor Accident Breaks Man's Shoulder

Late yesterday on the Red Lake road, near Fulton, a small truck driven by G. W. Harbiss collided with a tractor pulling a load of hay and driven by William Worthington. Both men are from Fulton.

The impact caused the tractor, owned by Cox and Sons of Fulton, to flip over on Worthington, breaking his shoulder. Harbiss was not hurt but a driving while intoxicated charge was filed against him, investigating State Sergeant Milton Mosier said.

Narcotics, Money Taken at Nashville

Dr. Edwin Dildy's office at Nashville was entered and robbed Monday night of about \$400 in cash and more than 1000 grains of narcotics. State Police here announced today. The burglar pried open a steel cabinet to get the cash and narcotics.

Roundup Club Barbecue Thursday

Members of the Hope Roundup Club and their families will have a barbecue at the Fair park Coliseum Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Non-members are invited to purchase memberships and attend the barbecue.

FAMOUS NAMES

Tokyo, July 18 — (AP) — Van Fleet and Ridgeway are foxhote buddies in the Seventh Division in Korea. No kin to the generals, though, bit's Pvt. Earl Van Fleet, Pvt. John A. Ridgeway, Decatur, Ala., automatic rifleman.

Rev., Mrs. E. D. Galloway Leave for 9-Weeks Tour of Europe, World Methodist Conference

The Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Galloway left Tuesday night by train for New York where they will board the USS America, July 21, for a tour of Europe and attend the World Conference of Methodism.

The Rev. Mr. Galloway, superintendent of the Hope Methodist District of the Little Rock Conference, and Mrs. Galloway will be guests of Oxford University, Oxford, England during the Ecumenical Conference of World Methodism which will be held at Oxford.

Following the two-weeks conference they will join a tour which is part of the Methodist World Travel Service in the company of Dr. Otto All, Chicago, editor of the Christian Advocate in America.

The tour will cover eleven European countries — France, Switzerland, Germany, Belgium, Austria, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland, Scotland and England.

Bishop Paul Martin of the Arkansas-Louisiana area of Little Rock, will be one of the speakers at the conference and Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of St. Louis, a native of Arkansas, is president of the Methodist Ecumenical movement, and will preside over the world conference.

Various representatives from countries all over the world will meet to unite Methodism under one denominational head. In the past there was one Methodist Church of America, one Church of France, England, etc.

At this conference it is the hope of delegates that world Methodism will unite into one great church. Mrs. Galloway will attend the conference as an observer.

The Galloways will be joined in New York by Mrs. Tom McClellan of Malvern, who goes as an ambassador of good will to Malvern, England. The party will attend the United Nations while in New York. While they are away the Rev. Fred Harrison of Texarkana will administer business of the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Galloway will return to the U. S. aboard the SS Media in approximately nine weeks. While the local church parsonage is being repaired the Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Keely will reside in the district parsonage, at 200 N. Pine street, during the absence of the Galloways.

The Keelys took Mr. and Mrs. Galloway to Texarkana last night to board the train for New York.

Ten Negro Boys, Aged 9-13, Admit Stealing Candy

Ten local Negro youths, ages ranging from 9 to 13, were arrested here yesterday by state and city officers in connection with a series of thefts from Yerger High School. The most recent thefts occurred on July 8 and 18. Each time only candy and writing paper were missing.

Officers said the youths admitted entering the school and taking the candy and paper. Following a complete examination the boys were turned over to their parents.

Testing Wine Is Not as Much Fun as One Would Suspect — You Never Get to Swallow It

By SAUL PETT For Hal Boyle

New York — (AP) — After a hard day at the office, Frank Schoonmaker comes home tired from drinking, but not drunk.

In some quarters this may be regarded as thoughtless waste of the perfect alibi, since Schoonmaker is a professional wine taster. But in working hours, he says, he can't afford to swallow the stuff. He tastes and then spits it out.

"On one day," he reports, "I may taste as many as 100 different wines. If I swallowed it, I'd be plastered before lunch."

Schoonmaker, a wine importer and author of books on wines has latest: "A Dictionary of Wines", says tasting wine professionally isn't much fun.

"It takes too much out of you," he explains. "It demands too much concentration. You can't carry on a conversation or do anything else. You have to be absorbed in the one thing. It's like a critic listening to music. He can't hear anything else at the time."

On a tasting day, Schoonmaker doesn't smoke or eat any highly flavored foods which would dull the edge of his taste buds. Each taste involves about a tablespoon of wine and requires about two minutes for tasting, analyzing and making notes.

First, Schoonmaker examines the color. He can tell a chemically colored wine from a naturally colored one just by a glance. If the color is off, he won't even smell it, much less taste it.

Next, he smells the wine, and grades the bouquet. He does this by sniffing it round in the glass. The more the inside of the glass is coated with the stuff, the greater the bouquet.

Three-Way Truck Wreck Causes Second Accident

A three-way truck accident yesterday about three miles east of Hope on Highway 67, indirectly caused another wreck a short time later.

Three trucks collided in this manner, according to Investigating State Officer Guy Downing.

One driven by Charles L. Huffman of Hope was making a right hand turn near Higginson's store. A large truck loaded with melons and driven by Thurman Runkel of Cave City, Ark., slowed down and a third truck also loaded with melons and driven by James E. Shirley of Jacksonville, Ark., was following too close.

Downing said Shirley's truck was unable to stop, hit the middle truck, careened off and struck Huffman's vehicle which was partly in its turn.

Nobody was hurt but Huffman's truck was badly damaged as was the Shirley vehicle. Shirley was charged with driving too close.

Shortly afterwards a wrecker piling in one of the loaded trucks sideswiped a Missouri Pacific bus driven by Nathanial Davis but little damage resulted and nobody was hurt.

State Sergeant Scrub Mosier investigated this accident.

Hopes Dim for Slash in New Taxes

Washington, July 18 — (AP) — Senator Byrd (D-Va.) indicated today that government spending plans for next year have dimmed his hopes the senate can trim the \$7,200,000,000 tax hike passed by the house.

Byrd also said he does not see where congress could find the new taxes to balance the \$65,000,000,000 budget proposed for the year starting next July 1.

The Virginian is acting chairman of the senate finance committee which continues its hearings today on the house measure. Senator George D-Ga. the chairman, has gone home for a two-week visit.

When the committee started hearings on the bill weeks ago, Byrd indicated he thought it might be held below \$5,000,000,000 without unbalancing the budget in the current fiscal year.

But the senator told newsmen today this was before he heard the administration's \$85,000,000,000 spending estimate for fiscal 1953 — the year when defense outlays are expected to hit their peak.

Any surplus generated this year would help in meeting a fiscal 1953 deficit. This deficit could be as high as \$17,000,000,000 even if congress accepts President Truman's plan for a \$10,000,000,000 tax hike this year.



UNPRIVATE EYE—Brig.-Gen. John B. Dunlap, of Dallas, Tex., has his eyes on racketeers' income tax returns these days. He's been appointed chief of the Internal Revenue Bureau's new Special Fraud Section. A Treasury Department agent with military intelligence experience, General Dunlap will command more than 100 "racket squads" being set up for an all-out national drive against racketeer income tax evaders.

Six Foreign Girls to Study at University

Fayetteville, July 18 — (AP) — Six girls from foreign countries will have scholarships to study at the University of Arkansas during the 1951-52 school year, through the cooperation of five women's organizations and the university's foundation for the international exchange of students.

The Arkansas Federation of Senior Women's Clubs will provide scholarship covering room, board, and tuition fees to Ingegnard Beuster, a refugee from the Russian zone of Germany.

The Arkansas Federation of Junior Women's Clubs is giving tuition scholarships to both Eva Jordana of Vienna, Austria, and Gudrun Dressler of Frankfurt, Germany.

Tuition scholarships for Maria Von Stein of Fritzel Hesse, Germany, and for Helma Janischowsky of Wolfberg, Austria, will be provided by the Fort Smith Junior Civic League and Community Guild.

The Greater Little Rock Federation of Women's Clubs will give a tuition scholarship to Jacqueline Solet of Paris, France.

The university foundation, a benevolent education corporation, administers scholarship funds provided by Arkansas clubs, church groups, and communities, and by interested individuals and university alumni in several states.

Transportation of the French student will be furnished through the Fulbright program, and the state department will provide transportation for all the German and Austrian students, and room and board for some of them.

The foreign exchange student program at the university was inaugurated during the 1950-51 school year, when three students received scholarships.

Last year, 17 foreign students had scholarships at the university.

Iran Offers Oil Products to Everyone

New York, July 18 — (AP) — An advertisement offering for sale oil products of the New Iranian National Oil company appeared today in the New York Herald Tribune.

The new firm was formed by Iran's government to succeed the British owned Anglo-Iranian Oil company, whose vast holdings have been seized under Premier Mohammed Mossadegh's nationalization program.

When it set up the national company last month, the Iranian government said its diplomatic missions throughout the world would be ordered to advertise its wares.

The advertisement in the Herald Tribune said that former AIOC customers of the Anglo-Iranian company would be allowed to pay the international market price for oil delivered at the Persian gulf. Other purchasers, the advertisement said, would have to make competitive bids.

The advertisement specified that oil purchasers would have to supply their own tankers. An Anglo-Iranian company official said recently that major oil companies had agreed not to move the Iranian oil in their tankers until settlement of the British-Iranian dispute over nationalization. He added that he doubted smaller independent tanker operators would incur the displeasure of the big companies — their chief customers — by moving the oil.

Single Point Blocks Actual Peace Plan

By ROBERT EUNSON

Seoul, Korea, July 18 — (AP) — Allied and Red envoys agreed today on two points of the cease-fire agenda but a dispute over "at least one major point" is blocking the start of actual Korean war armistice negotiations.

The United Nations announced this tonight after negotiators returned from their longest session this week. It was the first report of agreement on any part of the agenda.

Vice Adm. C. Turner Joy, head of the U. N. cease-fire team, accepted Communist wording for two agenda items at the close of Tuesday's conference, the announcement said.

When he did so, "the entire Communist delegation seemed to show gratification, perhaps mixed with a certain element of relief," said Brig. Gen. William Nuckolls of the U. S. Air Force. Nuckolls attended the session in Knesson.

And when Admiral Joy presented the allied view on the major unresolved question, Nuckolls said, the two "Chinese members of the Communist delegation nodded and appeared to appreciate the United Nations viewpoint."

Neither Nuckolls nor the formal headquarters announcement disclosed the points agreed upon in the six-day of conferences. Nor did they say what was the major stumbling block to reaching a "mutually acceptable agenda."

But General Matthew B. Ridgway, supreme Allied commander, described it as "essential" to the success of the cease fire conference.

The U. N. Communiqué said: "At least one major issue remained unresolved when the conference recessed for the day."

"Agreement on the key point is essential to the successful completion of the first phase of the negotiation."

Hempstead Farmer Fight Soil Erosion

Soil erosion and depletion has been a curse of all ages and has contributed to the down fall of mighty empires.

To assist in preventing this happening to our country the Agricultural Conservation program was authorized in 1930.

One of the best methods yet found to prevent erosion is construction of terraces. Properly constructed terraces help to hold surplus water when it falls and is therefore an important factor in flood control. In addition moisture conditions are improved and production increased as a result. A normal increase of 2 bushels of corn or 40 pounds of lint cotton per acre can be expected.

According to records in the FMA office farmers of Hempstead county are taking advantage of the assistance offered by the Production and Marketing Administration in getting this much needed job done.

County office records indicate that more than 6,000 acres have been terraced since 1930. Three hundred and thirty-five acres were terraced in 1950.

Hempstead county farmers who have requested prior approvals from the county for constructing terraces in 1951 include: C. E. Rosenbaum, Fulton; C. O. Temple, Hope; Levan Phillips, McCaskill; J. P. Webb, Ozan; J. Green, Ozan; Richard Richardson, Emmet; Ray Hoover, Rt. 1, Fulton; C. D. Walker, Ozan; Joe L. Duke, Hope, Rt. 2; John R. Willett, Nashville, Rt. 1; B. C. Webb, Ozan; J. C. Prescott, McCaskill; John V. Keck, Hope; Virgil E. Tollett, Nashville, Rt. 2; and C. F. and Wade Gilbert, Rt. 1, Washington.

For additional details farmers needing terraces should contact the County FMA office in Hope at their earliest convenience, according to Earl Martindale, Chairman of the Hempstead County Committee Production and Marketing Administration.

Hope Reservist Is Commended

Sgt. First Class, Barry W. Brown, member of the local Active Reserve Unit of Hope, Ark., commanded by Captain George W. Riser, employed by the Hope Employment Office, won special recognition from the commander of the 27th Inf. Regt. for his excellent work on the mess compass course.

Sgt. Brown was first in class of 24 engaged in the problem, and his only aid was a trusty compass and the light of the stars, moon, and stars in the sky.

In civilian life, Sgt. Brown is a clerk in the A. D. Middlebrook grocery on West Fifth Avenue, Hope. He will be back on his regular capacity Monday, July 23, 1951.

Garbage Fee Collection to Be Enforced

A city Health Department report viewed last night's regular session of the Hope Council, revealed that 850 houses in the city are not paying anything for wet or dry garbage service.

Following a lengthy discussion the council decided to turn the names of the residents over to the Water and Light Plant office with instructions that collections be made from each on next month's water and light bill.

The garbage service includes all garbage and cans being hauled off. A majority of the city residents pay for this service.

M. S. Bates appeared before the group and asked for a new lease on an additional option of 5 to 10 years on 750 acres of city-owned land acquired from the War Assets Administration in the airport lands action. Action on the request was delayed until the next meeting.

The group called for all insurance firms here to meet and work out an economical and fair insurance program for city-owned property. Many of the present policies on buildings, etc. were made at a time when their value was much lower than today.

A petition was filed for formation of Street Improvement District No. 22.

A second petition was filed asking the city for additional fire protection at the extreme end of West Third Street. The petition was signed by property owners and businessmen in the area.

The council denied a request by A. A. Moore for a refund on black-top in front of his property.

Housing Aid Applications Being Taken

Rural Housing loans administered by the Farmers Home Administration were designed to assist needy farm owners with loans to provide safe and adequate housing conditions for farm families and to provide for other necessary buildings essential to the farm enterprises carried on by the farmer or those planned to be placed in operation.

W. M. Sparks, County Supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration, said that many farmers in Hempstead county are taking advantage of this type of service and are making plans for construction of new dwellings and other buildings or planning for substantial repairs work so that the work can be completed before the winter months.

At this time of year many farmers are faced with the necessity of providing additional storage for feed or shelter for livestock.

The Farmers Home Administration provides loan funds and technical planning assistance to suit the needs of farm families. Mr. Sparks advises that these loans are made at 4 per cent and are repayable in not more than 40 years.

Farmers are encouraged to apply for these loans as soon as possible and to take advantage of the full range of services available. Heating systems and other modern conveniences. The supervisor further stated that the demand for this type of loan is steadily increasing in Hempstead county in the entire state.

Applications may be made to the Farmers Home Administration offices at Hope, Arkansas. Applications will be given prompt attention.

Local Group at Farm Bureau Meeting

Hempstead county is represented at the Arkansas Farm Bureau Fifth Annual Officers' and Directors Conference at Fayetteville, Ark., by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Moore, president and secretary of the local group.

Mr. Moore is a member of the local group and is also a member of the Arkansas Farm Bureau. He is currently serving as the county chairman of the local group.

The conference is being held at the Fayetteville Hotel and is open to all members of the Arkansas Farm Bureau. It is a great opportunity for farmers to meet and discuss their problems with other farmers and with the state and national leaders of the farm movement.

The local group is very proud to have Mr. and Mrs. Moore represent it at this important conference. They will be back in Hope on Monday, July 23, 1951.

The local group is also planning a picnic for the members of the local group and their families. The picnic will be held on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Moore on Sunday, July 22, 1951.

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Daughter Born to Lucille Ball

Los Angeles, July 18 — (AP) — Actress Lucille Ball and her husband, Desi Arnaz, are the parents of a baby daughter, born yesterday by Caesarean section. Named Lucie Desirée, the baby

weighed seven pounds, six ounces. She is the first child for the comedienne and Orchestra Leader.

Four of the 10 men who managed the St. Louis Browns were born in Missouri. They are Harold (Muddy) Ruel, James Burke, George Stovall and John O'Connor.

Motive Sought in Slaying of Charles Crane

Chicago, July 18 — (AP) — Police delved into the business and personal affairs of Charles Crane, 37, a wealthy paper company executive, today as they hunted a motive for his mysterious slaying.

"We have no clues at all," said Lieut. John Golden, chief of homicide detectives. "The motive may have died with him."

Crane, who in 10 years rose from a \$50 a week dock hand to virtual operator of the Thomas Paper Stock company which grosses from \$6,000,000 to \$8,000,000 a year, was shot to death yesterday.

Crane was sitting in his car outside the company plant in the

Texas Professor Now at U. of A.

Little Rock, July 18 — (AP) — A University of Texas professor has been appointed professor and assistant dean of the University of Arkansas new college of pharmacy.

Dr. Stanley George Mittelstaedt took over his duties here yesterday.

An assistant dean, he will have charge of organizing physical facilities in time for opening of the fall semester.

Guild Asks Gazette to Retire Men

Little Rock, July 18 — (AP) — Two leaders of striking CIO newsmen have proposed that the strikers be reinstated by the Arkansas Gazette, but the proposal has been rejected.

The development in the 19-month-old, unsettled strike came yesterday during a national labor relations board hearing on charges of unfair labor practices against the newspaper. The charges were filed by the NLRB on complaint of the striking union — Local 29 of the American Newspaper Guild.

Attorney Tom M. Davis of Houston, Texas representing the Gazette, rejected the union proposal on the ground that all the strikers' jobs had "long since been permanently filled."

The two union men — an international Representative Alexander Hicken and Maxwell E. H. Pyle, executive officer of the union's Washington local — made the offer after an NLRB attorney read a bill in preliminary listing some 13 conferences in which he said the strikers made an unconditional offer to return to work.

Hicken then rose and said, "So there will be no misunderstanding, I'm now asking unconditionally that all striking employees be reinstated."

"In the alternative, I'm asking that all striking editorial employees be reinstated."

Pyle concurred in the proposal. The newspaper has argued that the union never made an unconditional offer to return to work, and Davis had requested the bill of particulars.

One of the alleged unfair labor practice charges against the paper is that management rejected such unconditional offers.

Alan M. Weinman, a former president of the striking local, again was questioned by Davis on negotiations sessions. The attorney's cross examination obviously was designed to try to prove any offers to return to work were not unconditional.

It was Weinman's third consecutive day on the stand.

U of A to Study Spa Waters

Fayetteville, July 18 — (AP) — The University of Arkansas Institute of Science and Technology will continue its study of radioactivity in the waters of the Hot Springs area.

W. W. Grigoroff, director of the institute, said yesterday that the study had been authorized under a new contract signed with the U. S. atomic energy commission.

He said work will consist largely of investigating the radioactivity of thermal waters in relation to the geology and geochemistry of uranium.

Last year, high concentrations of uranium were discovered in the Potash Sulphur Springs area.

Mrs. Richard A. (Midge) Buck is the U. S. Women's Veterans' singles tennis champ.

Goose island district — on the city's near northwest side — when a green-shirted gunman approached. He fired two shots. The bullets struck Crane's face and head at close range, killing him instantly.

The gunman fled to a car parked nearby and drove away with a companion. The plant is at 1500 North Hooker street, a dirt road that cuts through factories and rail tracks on the industrial island on the Chicago river. Police said three men heard two shots and saw the slayer running from Crane's car.

Police said Crane was on three years' probation in federal court after pleading guilty in 1949 in a \$1,267,512 income tax case against the paper company and its president, Alvin E. Sandroff, 49.

Sandroff, who also pleaded guilty and was sentenced to prison for two years, was paroled last September because of ill health. Crane paid 22,000 of a tax liability of \$24,558.

Police said Sandroff told them he was unable to advance a motive for Crane's slaying. He said he had been ill for several months and he had left operation of the company, which buys and sells scrap paper, in Crane's hands.

Crane's firm's president, who estimated from \$6,000,000 to \$8,000,000, netted the gross annual business at from \$6,000,000 to \$8,000,000, told investigators Crane kept most of the company's affairs in his head. However, he added, an outside auditor checked the company's books each month. They were in good order, he said.

Police said they learned Crane also had interests in two other paper companies. As general manager of the Thomas company he received a salary of more than \$25,000 a year, plus bonuses, police said Sandroff told them. They said he owned the six-flat building in which he lived.

Crane was married and the father of two sons, James, 2, and Richard, six weeks.

Purchasing Act of 1943 Ruled Valid

Little Rock, July 18 — (AP) — Constitutionality of a controversial 1943 Arkansas purchasing act has been upheld by Federal Circuit Judge Frank H. Dodge.

The law prohibits the state from doing business with firms whose officials or stockholders are members of state boards or commissions or hold state office.

Judge Dodge yesterday also refused to issue an injunction to restrain such firms from selling to the state.

"An injunction is x x x refused because under the plain terms of this act a violation is a felony and the general rule is selected that a court does not presume that people will commit crimes," the judge said.

Judge Dodge upheld State Atty. Gen. Lee Murray, who had said that the law prohibited state officials and board members from doing business with the state.

The law had been attacked by State purchasing Agent Carl Parker and the administration as unworkable. Parker interpreted the law to prohibit a state official or board member from doing business only with his particular department.

Defendants in the case, including several state officials and three board members, said they would appeal the decision to the Arkansas Supreme court.

Baptists Protest Use of Funds

Little Rock, July 18 — (AP) — The executive board of the Arkansas Baptist state convention has requested a unanimous protest against the use of tax funds to support parochial or private schools.

An official report, resulting from a complaint by Dr. B. A. Duncan last week that Catholics are teaching in public schools and being paid with tax money, was adopted at the board's meeting here yesterday.

An investigation of Duncan's charges has been ordered by Governor McMath. Duncan is editor of the Arkansas Baptist, the

church's official publication. The board also allocated \$150,000 to Ouachita college for next year, and tentatively pledged to give the college \$150,000 each year for the next five.

The allocation was included in a total budget for 1952 of \$805,263.33, which the convention will consider at its November meeting.

PSC Suspends Rate Schedule

Little Rock, July 18 — (AP) — The Arkansas public service commission has suspended a rate schedule under which the Arkansas-Missouri Power corporation would increase charge by about 12 percent.

The new rates would have been effective July 21. Commission officials said they understood the company did not intend to file a bond to place the rates in effect.

A full hearing will result from the suspension, the officials said.

Allied Planes Pound Enemy Behind Lines

U. S. Eighth Army Headquarters, Korea, July 18 — (AP) — Fighting almost vanished from the Korean war fronts today. But beyond the lines Allied bombers hammered steadily at highways and railroads to prevent Communists from moving a new troops.

Only one Allied patrol found any Communists.

It jumped into a Red patrol in the no-man's-land northwest of Inje on the eastern front. Two Reds were wounded.

No action was reported in the western sector where seven patrols probed yesterday at a reported Red buildup near Kaesong, stiff armistice talks.

Communists artillery fired sporadically at Allied positions. Reds tried only a few light probing attacks last night.

In the 24 hours ended at 5 p. m. yesterday not a single American was killed in combat, the army announced in Washington. That's the first time that has happened.

The average for the war has been 30 Americans killed in action daily.

Allied warplanes did the killing church's official publication.

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Floods Now Threaten St. Louis

Kansas City, Mo., July 18 — (AP) — THE Mississippi river's turbulent waters mounted steadily at St. Louis and along the eastern edge of Missouri today, threatening additional widespread damage.

The river already has caused an estimated \$750,000,000 damage to the St. Louis waterfront.

At the same time the federal government rushed efforts to help rehabilitate vast areas of Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma already devastated by flood waters.

President Truman made an 800-mile aerial tour of the disaster area yesterday and pledged quick action. He called the flood "the worst thing I have ever seen."

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today.

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Missouri, was puring a 107 water into the Mississippi two great rivers join north to south.

Much of the water was the off of Missouri and Kansas that earlier had inundated a timated 2,000,000 acres in the states.

St. Louis waterfront bus houses had their employes bagging and moving mercha to higher ground.

North of St. Louis residents the threatened areas of West ton, Mo., and Kaskaskia near Chester, Ill., had been warned to evacuate.

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Calendar

Tuesday, July 17

The Winsome Class of the First Baptist Church will meet for its monthly social and business meeting, Tuesday evening, July 17th at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Minor Polk on 13th and Walker Sts. Hostesses will be Mrs. Minor Polk, Mrs. Floyd Osburn, Mrs. N. B. Coleman, Mrs. Cecil O'Steen, Mrs. T. H. Butler and Miss Eva Nell Moxley.

Ray - Pharrman Vows Exchanged

The wedding of Miss Ruth Margaret Ray of Little Rock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ray of Gordon and Sgt. Howard V. Pharrman U. S. M. C. son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cummings of Little Rock, the double ring ceremony was performed Monday, July 16th, in the Sanctuary of Hunter Memorial Methodist Church with the Reverend William L. Arnold officiating, in the presence of the immediate family and close friends.

Traditional nuptial music was furnished by Mrs. A. E. Montgomery, organist, Mrs. Mack Chambers accompanied by Mrs. Montgomery sang "Because."

Mrs. Ross Henson, cousin of the bride was matron of honor with Mr. Mack Chambers serving the groom as best man.

After a short wedding trip Sgt. Pharrman will leave for Washington, D. C. where he will report for overseas duty. Mrs. Pharrman will make her home with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Mulkey, 1424 Chichester St. Little Rock.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ray, Miss Ada Merle Ray and Mrs. A. L. Billue of Gordon.

Mrs. Bernice Hargis and Mrs. Ray Lawrence entertained with a morning party on Monday, July 16th at 10 a. m. in the home of the latter, honoring Miss Peggy Pentecost, popular bride-elect of William Howard Sutton.

The mantle held a lovely fan-shaped arrangement of arching gladioli and yellow Eclipse roses. An artistic arrangement of yellow gladioli and roses decorated the dining table in the reception hall. The table was covered with a white grass linen cloth and centered with a crystal bowl holding

white gladioli interspersed with plumosa fern.

The honoree was presented a corsage of the "Flower of Love" and a gift of her chosen crystal. After a social period in which bingo was played, with prizes going to Mrs. Brants McPherson, Mrs. Owen Nix and Mrs. Frank Walters, the hostesses served dainty individual wedding ring cakes, open-faced sandwiches, nuts and iced drinks to the honoree and twenty-four guests.

Bride - Elect Honored At Bridge Party

Miss Catherine Cox entertained with a bridge canasta luncheon at her home in Fulton, 1 p. m. Tuesday, July 17th, honoring Miss Peggy Marie Pentecost, bride-elect of William Howard Sutton. Artistic arrangements of roses and summer flowers were used throughout the spacious reception rooms of the Cox home. Bridge and canasta were played from four tables during the afternoon with high score bridge prize going to Mrs. Johnnie Brandon and Mrs. Martin Green receiving the canasta prize.

The honoree was presented a yellow gladioli corsage and a gift of her chosen everyday china.

Coming and Going

Mr. and Mrs. James Herbert Cox of Shreveport, La., are visiting friends and relatives in Hope and Fulton.

Mrs. Frank Malone and children and Mrs. Wash Hutson will leave Thursday for a trip to Houston, Texas, where they will visit friends and relatives.

Miss Arthadale Heffner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Heffner, left Texarkana via plane to join the Ray Woods family in Dallas for a trip to Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Park and daughter Mary Lou left Hope Saturday for a vacation visit with Mr. Parks' mother, Mrs. Will Blackwood in Fort Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hutson who have been guest of Paul's mother, Mrs. Wash Hutson and other relatives in Hope, have returned to their home in Dallas.

Personal Mention

In a telegram received by Mrs. Dorsey Fuller yesterday, Tuesday, July 17th, her husband, Captain Dorsey, landed safely at 8 a. m. on July 17th at Bremerhaven, Germany. Captain Fuller sailed from New Orleans, La., July 4th on the USS General Mitchell.

Hospital Notes

JOSEPHINE Discharged
Mrs. Carol Yocom, Hope, Ark.
Mrs. S. K. May, Hope, Ark.

BRANCH Discharged
Mrs. George Herring, Rt. 3, Roston.

JULIA CHESTER Admitted
Mrs. Frank Martindale, Emmet.

Clarksville Festival Is Thursday

Clarksville, July 18 — (AP) — Most of the annual Johnson county peach festival has jumped from \$50 in 1930 to about \$5,000 for this year's event, to be held here tomorrow.

But it hasn't been money wasted. Indirectly it was paid off. In 1930, the income of peach farmers in this area was only a little more than \$103,228. The gross income was up to \$915,817 in 1945, and in 1950, it topped the \$2,000,000 mark.

All this has been gained with very little increase in acreage planted to peaches. There now are about 7,000 acres of commercial peach orchards in the county.

The average bushel price for good grade peaches in 1950 was \$3.50. An estimated 610,800 bushels were shipped from the county last year making an income of \$2,137,800.

Directly responsible for the increases in yield and income are methods of better production. And the peach festival is credited with making some of the better production methods known.

Each year, peach farmers from over the state and some from out of the state gather here to swap ideas. Better crops result.

In recent years peach growers have been digging deeper into the soil and building it to grow better fruit. Back several years ago, if two or three god crops were harvested in succession it was considered very unusual. But as better still improvement methods were made known, better crops were realized, both in quality and quantity.

Much credit is given to mechanical wonders for cutting down on the yearly peach loss. The majority of packing sheds now are equipped with power, and peaches are graded by machine. The mechanical grader, for instance, defuzzes the peach, and grades the size.

In order to bring research closer to the peach growers, an experiment station of the University of Arkansas college of agriculture was set up four miles east of Clarksville on highway 64 in 1943.

There is another substation at Nashville, Ark., also in the heart of a peach-growing section.

Growers also are using pre-cooling, which lets the peaches stay on the trees three days longer giving them a richer and fuller flavor. Pre-cooling is a process whereby the peach is cooled to a certain temperature before shipping. This also cuts down on the cost of refrigeration while the fruit is being transported to distant points.

TEEN-AGE BRIDE

Marion, Ill., July 18 — (AP) — A 16-year-old bride was keeping house today for her new husband who is more than four times her age.

George Hardin, 68, a well-to-do farmer, married May Sue Hayden last Saturday. Arthur Hayden, the girl's father, gave his written consent.

It was the third marriage for Hardin. His first wife, the mother of his 40 year old son, died. His second marriage ended in divorce.

Mrs. Dolores Hood, McCaskill; Phillip Knighton, McNab; Donald Laster, Hope; Mrs. Jessie F. May, Hope; Thomas Hays, Hope. Discharged

Mrs. H. L. Ray, Rt. 2, Hope; Jimmie Wayne Fry, Fulton; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Cannon, Atkins, announce the arrival of a son, Hershel Ray.

WILD WEST CHARITY STANDISH BY CHARLES JUDAH

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IX KEN MONTIJO took his knife away from Duke Roger's throat. "Must I leave him unharmed?" he asked Charity Standish.

Charity looked at the unhappy Duke. His eyes were swollen, his lips cut, his mouth bleeding. "He's damaged some," she pointed out mildly.

Kenneth MontiJo raised the knife's point, but he still held Duke.

"I might scalp him," he said hopefully. "I've always wanted to try it. You can have his hair as a souvenir."

Rogers groaned. Angel shrieked. Charity said, "Let him go."

Ken obeyed. "Better tie 'em, or lock 'em up,"

Charity looked down at her fallen Angel. "Mine won't cause any trouble," she decided complacently.

"All right. Let's get out of here." As she passed the bar, Charity saw herself in a mirror. She stopped and stared in horror. Her face was streaked with dirt and smeared with blood. One eye was swollen and would soon be purple. Her hair hung in lank brown strands. Her suit, which she had chosen for traveling, was soiled and torn beyond mending.

Observing her dismay Kenneth MontiJo chuckled.

"You can be repaired, ma'am," he assured her.

She indicated the new reflection, his own, that had appeared beside hers in the mirror. He was more battered than she; his clothes were in even greater disarray than hers.

"I'm not so sure about you," she said sweetly.

"We're not pretty," he admitted. "Maybe we better get outside where it's dark."

The Plaza had been abandoned to San Lorenzo's epic of the century—a gun fight between Duke

Rogers and Ken MontiJo. And it keen eyes watched the victor emerge with Charity (undoubtedly the conqueror's prize, the spoils for which the battle had been waged) they remained discreet—in dark corners or behind heavy shutters.

Ken, not at all satisfied that it had been wise to leave Duke at large, hurried Charity away from the Four Aces. But when they reached the shadows their steps lagged until, as if by mutual consent, they stopped. He tumbled in his pocket where he had stuffed the money swept off the dice table, until he found a slip of paper, Charity's I.O.U. He gave it to her. "Tear it up."

She obeyed. The white scraps of paper floated to the ground.

"Where are you staying?"

"It was the end of adventure. Only the hotel room remained with its packed trunk and Doug lying drunk on the floor."

"Do I have to go home?" she asked.

The blood of Kenneth MontiJo's cautious Scotch mother warred momentarily with that of his reckless Spanish father who, reversing the Yankee procedure had made a fortune trading between New Mexico and the East. Yet Kenneth's mother had not been too cautious to give her heart to Louis MontiJo, not to follow him to New Mexico Territory, a thousand miles in distance and 200 years in time, from St. Louis where she was born.

Now he looked at Charity and Spain won an easy victory.

"Like to go up to the Aztec? The casino will still be open."

At the thought of more gaming tables, more whiskey, more stale smoke laden air, Charity shuddered.

"No," she said.

"What would you like?" Suddenly she knew.

"Let me take you someplace."

In half an hour they were at the hill's crest overlooking the valley. She had never before seen it at night. Bathed in moonlight it was even lovelier than by day.

"The moon's been misbehaving, too," Charity said. "It got drunk and splashed its light all over the valley; and look at the stars, someone's dug a million new ones out of the black pit of night since I last saw the sky in Ohio."

Kenneth did not know that Charity was talking thus to escape the memories of hours spent here with Doug. He was uneasy. Accustomed as he was to poetry in nature, in words it embarrassed him.

"You see more stars here than in Ohio on account of the altitude," he volunteered.

Charity did not like to be winged in mid-flight. She came fluttering back to earth.

"Darn the altitude," she said suddenly. "If the sun is hot it's the altitude; if the nights are cold, it's the altitude; if a man gets drunk, it's the altitude. Everything that happens in New Mexico Territory is the fault of the altitude."

"I wouldn't be surprised if I fell in love all on account of the altitude."

"Might have been at that," Kenneth agreed amiably. "Who is the guy? Does he live around here?"

CHARITY realized with a shock that he was, after all, a stranger. An inexperienced stranger who listened uninvited to her conversation and gave her officious advice. She burst into laughter. He grinned sympathetically.

"What is it?"

"It's me—on a hill top in New Mexico in the middle of the night with a man whose name I don't even know."

"I'm Ken MontiJo."

"Charmed, Mr. MontiJo, may I present Miss Charity Standish, though I'm afraid no one in Ohio would believe it." She came closer laughing her lips brushed his cheek. "Now I know they wouldn't."

"I thought you said you were in love," he said slowly.

"I did, I am, I mean I was—"

(To Be Continued)

Italian Red Calls for New Elections

Rome, July 18 — (AP) — Italian Communist boss Palmiro Togliatti carried to President Luigi Einaudi today his party's demand that a caretaker government succeed resigned Premier Alcide De Gasperi's regime and call new elections.

The Red chief was the first of today's visitors at the presidential palace, where the chief of state's consultations on the current cabinet crisis went into the second day.

Today's callers included leaders of various political parties in the senate and chamber of deputies. Yesterday Einaudi received older statesmen including former premiers and the presidents of the two chambers.

Political observers predicted that Einaudi by tonight would ask De Gasperi to form a new cabinet.

The Communist demand, first put forth yesterday by Togliatti, was later incorporated into a communique issued by the party executive committee.

Il Popolo, organ of De Gasperi's majority Christian Democrat party, ridiculed the proposal.

Since the Communists and their fellow-traveling Socialist Allies have only 178 votes in the chamber of deputies to 328 for the Chris-

tian Democrats and their Allies, it was considered unlikely that Communist plan would carry much weight with Einaudi.

Togliatti is basing his demand on the Communist showing in recent local elections in two thirds of Italy. Although the Reds and their Socialist Allies lost control of numerous local councils which they previously had held, they garnered several millions more votes than they did in the 1946 elections.

De Gasperi and his cabinet quit Monday in an effort to end discussion within his own party ranks and to permit a reshuffling of the government on a broader basis.

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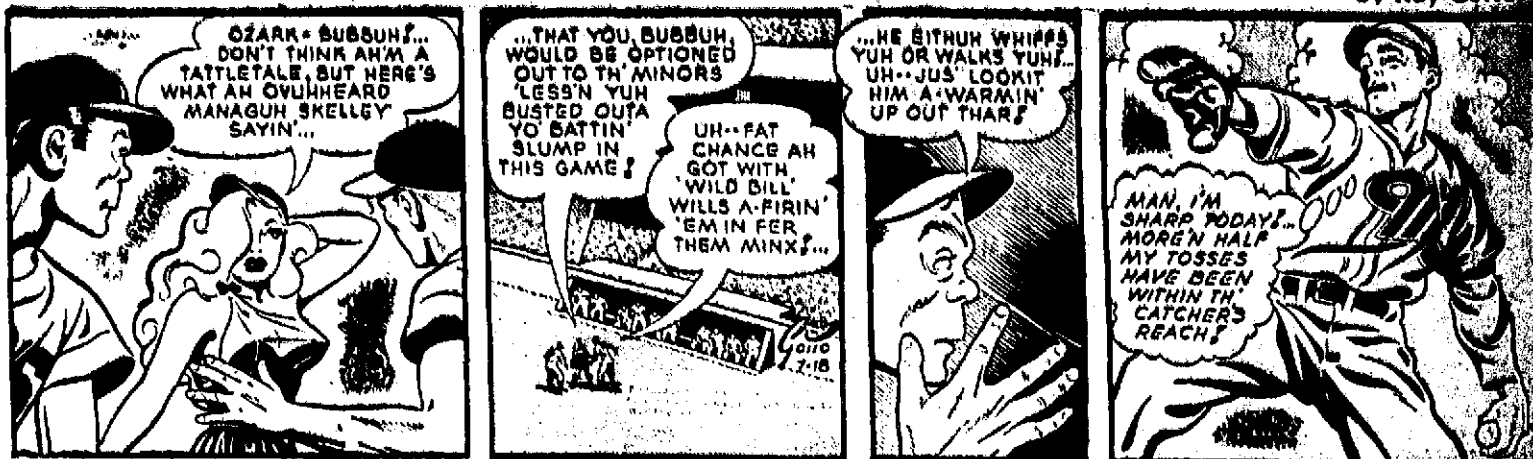
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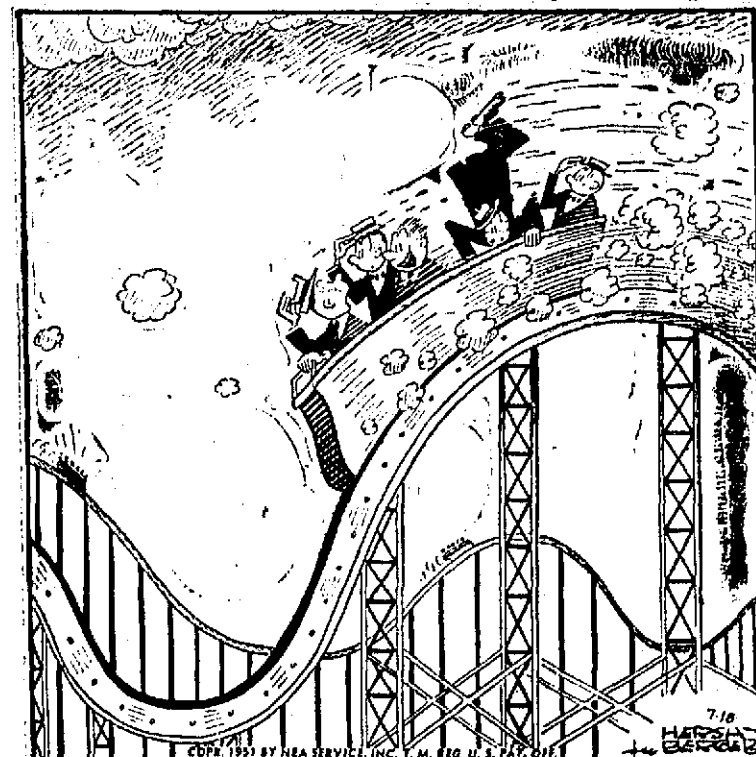
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"Joe actually rides upsidedown—he can't keep anything on his stomach otherwise!"

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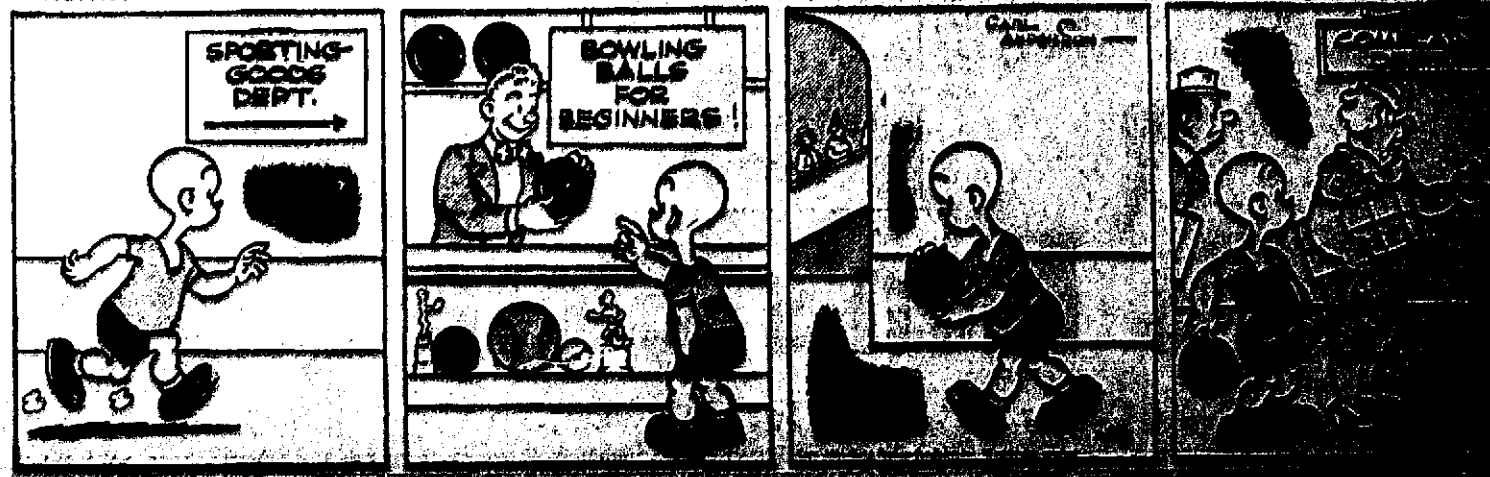
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New Texarkana Newspaper Starts

Texarkana, July 18 — (AP) — An Arkansas' newest daily newspaper, the *Texarkana Star*, first appeared about 4 p. m. A tabloid-size publication, the first edition contained 16 pages. The paper, a result of an unsuccessful ITU strike against two other dailies here, will be published five days each week, excluding Sunday and Monday.

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Claims Reds Have Many U. S. Prisoners

By SAM SUMMERLIN

Kaesong, Korea, July 17 — (AP) — A young North Korean WAC said today "there are many American prisoners in Pyongyang," the Red Korean capital.

She said she could give no further details about the captured GIs.

The information came from a Miss Pak, member of Red "reception personnel" at the U. N. house in Kaesong.

She is an 18-year-old virgin, known as the most photographed woman in Kaesong.

"My picture has been taken a thousand times," she told U. N.

newsmen and photographers crowding around her.

She speaks English well. She said she learned it in Pyongyang High school.

"I also speak Japanese," she added, "and a little Russian."

She thought a moment when someone asked her if she liked Americans, then said softly: "I do not so simple to answer."

She had definite ideas about peace, he said, she wanted to see the war ended, and added: "We don't want the 38th parallel."

We want a unified country. The Chinese and U. N. forces will leave Korea after the war and the North and South Koreans can be friendly."

She was smartly uniformed in front, an olive drab blouse with silver buttons and red shoulder boards, blue skirt and brown leather shoes.

Ted war correspondents with whom we talked with were dress-

Navy Opposes Suspension of River Locks

Washington, July 18 — (AP) — The navy does not want the U. S. engineers to close three locks on the Ohio river.

Senator McClellan (D-Ark) said yesterday the navy department had notified him that it wants the navigation locks kept open. The navy's Shumaker ordnance plant near Camden, is on the river.

Maj. Gen. Lewis A. Pick, chief of the army engineers, recently ordered the locks closed on the ground that the river transportation does not justify the expense of keeping the locks open.

McClellan said navy officials declared the locks should be kept open as a defense measure since the river would be needed for transportation in event anything happens to rail lines in the area.

Arkansas congressmen who have been protesting general Pick's order will get a chance Saturday to present their case first hand. The general and several of the congressmen are planning to attend the dedication of the new Narrows dam at Murfreesboro, Ark.

U. S. May Go Ahead With Spanish Pact

By C. YATES McDANIEL

Washington, July 17 — (AP) — Admiral Forster P. Sherman's visit to Madrid probably indicates a U. S. desire to reach some kind of military understanding with Spain despite British and French opposition.

They noted that Sherman started his round of high-level conferences in Madrid, before going on to France, Italy and Great Britain and before seeing General Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The London foreign office promptly disclosed that Britain had advised the U. S. against entering into any military arrangements with Franco. American officials have been aware of British and French opposition ever since London and Paris were sounded out months ago about a possible U. S. interest in bases military understandings with Spain.

U. S. military leaders have made no secret of their strategic interest in Spain. Gen. Omar Bradley, chairman of the joint chiefs of staff, told the house origin aairs committee Friday that "from the military point of view" he would personally like to see Spain in the treaty organization.

Bradley added that "you cannot get a Frenchman or an Englishman to say what I said."

The British labor government's opposition to any military arrangement with Franco stems from the active opposition to Franco by Prime Minister Clement Attlee and other labor leaders during the Spanish civil war. To the ruling group in Britain, Franco and his supporters are still Fascists.

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CAA May Move to Jonesboro

Washington, July 17 — (AP) — The civil aeronautics administration said today its communications station at Walnut Ridge, Ark., may be moved to Jonesboro.

A spokesman told a reporter the agency's regional office at Fort Worth, Tex., is making a survey to determine if a station at Jonesboro would be more efficient than the one at Walnut Ridge.

He added the Fort Worth office is expected to make a recommendation within the next few days.

If the station is moved, he said, six employees will be transferred from Walnut Ridge to Jonesboro.

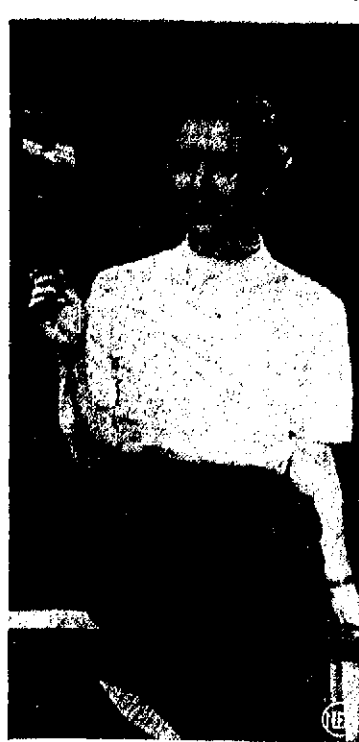
In addition to operating the communications station, personnel make observations.

ed in plain brown uniforms with brass buttons. Several wore round red medals showing they worked for the New China new agency.

One of them, a freckle-faced 26-year-old Chinese, spoke English and acted as spokesman and interpreter for his fellows.

He said the Red correspondents — 20 of them — first came to Kaesong last Saturday. That was during the breakdown of negotiations, precipitated by the barring of U. N. newsmen, and the day Reds first proposed talks be resumed.

He complained, "no one at the conference tells us what is going on."



"MISS COLOR TV" — Patty Painter, known as "Miss Color Television" for her appearances in hundreds of color television tests, was chosen as featured actress on the first commercial color TV broadcast in history. The program, titled "Premiere," inaugurates regular CBS TV color programs.

Asks Review of Racing Request

Little Rock, July 17 (AP) — The Arkansas racing commission will be asked "within 30 days" to review its rejection of a permit for a proposed horse race track in West Memphis, Ark.

Glen Walther, Little Rock attorney for Dixie Downs, Inc., said yesterday he would take his request — rejected last March 3 — before the commission once again.

Walther said he had planned to file a request for a racing commission review today, but late yesterday changed his plans because he needed more time to compile evidence.

The Arkansas Supreme court earlier this month refused to pass on an appeal of the racing commission's decision against Dixie Downs. It said at the time that Walther had not exhausted all administrative remedies.

Replacement The International Court of Justice, consisting of 15 members, is the UN successor to the League of Nations' Permanent Court of International Justice. Its function is to hear disputes involving international treaties and laws.

When a cool is being chased by a hawk or an eagle, it sometimes drives at full flight into water.

PRESCOTT NEWS

Wednesday, July 18,

There will be a mid-week meeting at the First Christian Church Wednesday evening at 7:30. Choir rehearsal will follow immediately after the study period.

Prayer meeting will be held at the Assembly of God Church Wednesday evening at 7:45 p.m.

Members of the W.C.S. of the First Methodist Church will have a Spiritual Life meeting on Wednesday morning at 8:30 in the home of the president, Mrs. Gene Hale.

Thursday, July 19

Mid-week services at the First

Center Home Demonstration

Meets

The Center Home Demonstration Club met on Friday, July 13, in the home of Mrs. J. C. Buford with ten members and one guest present.

Mrs. A. P. Jones, president, conducted the business, the roll call was answered with time saving methods in our daily tasks.

An inspiring devotion was given by Mrs. Buford. Mrs. Madge Burgess, Home Demonstration agent, distributed leaflets on "Methods of Making Pitchers" and gave an informative talk on "Nutrition."

The hostess served delicious refreshments during the social hour.

Lynell Harrell Honored With Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Linn Harrell honored their daughter, Lynell, with a surprise birthday dinner at the Lawson Hotel on Friday evening.

The table was centered with an arrangement of mixed summer flowers.

Covers were laid for the honoree, Misses Jo Carrington, Kay King, Patsy Griffin, June Hilton, Joan Gilbert, June White and Don Hays and Granville Johnson.

Miss Bobbie Lois Box Is Party Honoree

Miss Bobbie Lois Box, bride-elect of Pvt. Kenneth W. Ledbetter of Benton, was complimented with a miscellaneous bridal shower on Saturday evening, given by Miss Janice McGuire at her home.

The rooms were decorated with graceful arrangements of zinnias and dahlias.

Mrs. Dawson Henry had charge of the bridal games. Prizes were won by Mrs. Cane McGuire, Mrs. Bill Johnson and Miss Mary Sue Wilson.

Miss Box was the recipient of

Baptist Church on Thursday evening are as follows: 7 p.m. officers and teachers; 7:45 prayer meeting; 8:30 choir rehearsal.

The choir of the Presbyterian Church will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock for rehearsal. Church will meet Thursday evening.

A prayer service will be held at the Church of Nazarene on Thursday evening at 7:45.

Members of the Methodist church held cottage prayer meetings on Thursday evening.

The Kiwanis Club meets each Thursday at 6:15 p.m. at the Hotel Lawson for a dinner meeting.

Mrs. Frances Parker of El Dorado and Mrs. E. A. Links of Miami, Florida were the Friday guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Bensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. John P. Cox of Hope spent a part of last week in Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Bemis have returned from Ft. Worth, where they met their daughter, Mrs. Bobby Duke and son, Reed who accompanied them home for a visit.

F. A. Welis Hamby Jr. who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Welis Hamby, left Saturday for Galveston, where he will embark for Germany aboard the ship USS General Butler to which he has been assigned.

Miss Leta Jualls of Little Rock spent the weekend with Jim Thomas and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thomas.

Mrs. George Parker Jr. of Little Rock, the former Miss Mary Jane Coleman of Prescott was honored with a tea given by Mrs. George Parker Sr. in Hot Springs, Saturday.

Mrs. John McGill has returned from a visit with relatives in Little Rock.

Mrs. D. N. Davis and Mrs. Hatley White who have been the guests of Mrs. C. P. Arnold Sr. have returned to their home in Magnolia.

Ti. Col. and Mrs. Blake Scott spent a part of last week in Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Alma Martindale Jr. announce the arrival of a son on July 14, at the Cora Donnell Hospital.

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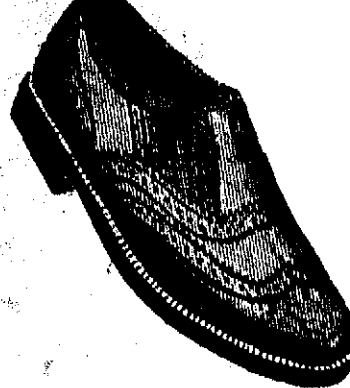
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